

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

SB 431 – HB 559

February 11, 2017

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires mandatory reports of child sexual abuse provided to the Department of Children's Services (DCS) to include the name, address, telephone number, and age of the child, the name address, and telephone number of the person responsible for the care of the child, and the facts requiring the report.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Currently, pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 37-1-605, reporting knowledge or suspicion of child sexual abuse to DCS is required; however, the information required to be included in the report is not specified.
- Based on information provided by DCS, it is estimated that receiving a report with specific information can be accommodated within existing resources without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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